



DELPHI COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
2ND ANNUAL LITERACY ACADEMY
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Teachers of Grades K-8
 Delphi Community High School
 June 10 & 11, 2009

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The 2nd Annual Literacy Academy is one of Indiana's greatest resources in supporting teachers with excellent professional development. Teachers can meet all children with cutting-edge teaching strategies that build on the student's individual strengths, helping them take responsibility for their own learning, and in doing so, gain the motivation needed for success. Join educators from all over the state of Indiana and experience interactive learning and profitable exchange.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Randy Beard believes that "music is a gift that needs to be shared." Beard puts that philosophy into practice. A former sixth grade teacher, Beard developed a creative writing activity for children as a reading exercise using his music and their words while student teaching at Indiana University. With guitar in hand, he is able to encourage children to read and write while motivating the reluctant reader and writer. Beard is currently an educational consultant who has presented programs for more than a million students, teachers, and parents throughout the United States. He works with young people by taking words that they have written and putting the writings to original music right on the spot! Randy's opening Keynote will address how children learn through Lyrical Literacy.

Deborah Corpus is involved in many roles in the field of reading. She is currently an Associate Professor at Butler University, teaching her undergraduate reading methods classes on-site in area elementary schools. Deborah held the position of K-12 Language Arts Curriculum Coordinator in M.S.D. of Washington Township for twelve years. She's taught almost every grade level from first grade as a Reading Recovery teacher to junior high school and high school as a reading and English teacher. She is active in the Indiana State Reading Association and the Indiana Teachers of Writing, and she is often found working with classroom teachers through demonstration lessons and side-by-side teaching. She and Ann Giddings, from Lebanon Community Schools are currently putting the finishing touches on a book for Scholastic. Deborah's an enthusiastic reader of everything from children's literature to adult fare, especially biographies of famous Americans. Debbie's personal mission is to share her love of reading with everyone she meets. As Tuesday's Keynote Speaker, Debbie will share how teachers can foster a literacy "epidemic" in their classrooms, while increasing the power of literacy instruction.

*"It's what you learn after you know it all, that counts."
Author Unknown*

KEYNOTE SESSIONS

Learning Through Lyrical Literacy
Time on Our Side

*Randy Beard
Debbie Corpus*

WORKSHOPS

PRIMARY SESSIONS

Hands-On Math and Literacy (K-1)	<i>Suzi Boyett</i>
Reading to Become Writers (K-3)	<i>Tammy Younts</i>
Kindergarten Reader's Workshop	<i>Sherri Cripe & Carrie Geheb</i>
Getting Started with Writer's Workshop (K-3)	<i>Cindy Gregg & Sherry Sigo</i>
Make & Take Literacy Centers (K-2)	<i>Suzi Boyett</i>
Parent Involvement for Hispanic Families (K-8)	<i>Carol, Amy & Amanda Carrington</i>
Lyrical Literacy (K-3)	<i>Randy Beard</i>
Differentiating Instruction (K-3)	<i>G.E.R.I. Purdue University</i>
Strategies & Techniques for ESL in the General Education Classroom (K-8)	<i>Carol, Amy & Amanda Carrington</i>
Blogging in Your Classroom (K-8)	<i>Laurie Kinzie</i>
Top 10 Vocabulary Strategies in the Content Area Classroom (K-6)	<i>Dr. Kimberly Tyson, Sponsored by Carla Westphal & National Geographic</i>

INTERMEDIATE/MIDDLE SCHOOL SESSIONS

Getting Started with Writer's Workshop (4-8)	<i>Sherry Sigo & Cindy Gregg</i>
Guided Reading in the Content Areas (4-8)	<i>Candy Carro, Sponsored by Lisa Hall & Millmark</i>
Differentiating Instruction (4-8)	<i>G.E.R.I. Purdue University</i>
Top 10 Vocabulary Strategies in the Content Area Classroom (K-6)	<i>Dr. Kimberly Tyson, Sponsored by Carla Westphal and National Geographic</i>
Making the Most of Mentor Texts (3-5)	<i>Nancy Spurlock & Brenda Van Mol</i>
Blogging in Your Classroom (K-8)	<i>Laurie Kinzie</i>
Strategies & Techniques for ESL in the General Education Classroom (K-8)	<i>Carol, Amy & Amanda Carrington</i>
Reading to Become Writers (4-8)	<i>Tammy Younts</i>
ALL Kids CAN Learn (A Case study of a 4 th grade Special Needs Student) (4-8)	<i>Ann Giddings</i>
Lyrical Literacy (4-8)	<i>Randy Beard</i>
Parent Involvement for Hispanic Families (K-8)	<i>Carol, Amy, & Amanda Carrington</i>

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*"When children enter formal instruction the foundations of all
their future interactions with education are being laid."
Marie Clay*

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District Team Incentive:

Registration cost is \$150/person
Bring 3 or more people from
your school and receive a \$25
discount OR your Principal can
attend for half price.

You may submit this page electronically to Mary Lou Rude at rudem@delphi.k12.in.us or through the US mail.

Registration Form:

Your registration will include admission to all sessions Wednesday, June 10th and Thursday, June 11th. Also included is a continental breakfast both mornings and lunch on Wednesday.

School District: _____

School Name: _____

Teacher Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone Number: (home/work) _____

E-mail Address: (home/work) _____

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